



PATENT APPLICATION
Attorney Docket No. T2701

DECLARATION CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
FOR A SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

I, Lovell Brent Ivie, hereby declare: that I am President of IES Technologies, Inc., a corporation of the State of Utah and having a principal place of business at 179 East Main Street, Sandy, Utah 84070; I am empowered to act on behalf of IES Technologies, Inc.; and that IES Technologies, Inc. qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 121.3-18 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees to the Patent and Trademark Office under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of IES, Technologies, Inc., including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. I understand that, for purposes of this declaration, (1) the number of employees is the average over the previous fiscal year of the number of persons employed on a full-time, part-time, or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and that (2) two business concerns are considered to be affiliates of each other when one business concern either directly or indirectly controls or has the power to control the other, or when a third party or parties control or have the power to control both business concerns.

I further declare that all rights, title, and interest relating to the invention entitled INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS invented by LOVELL BRENT IVIE, DANIEL GILSTRAP, R. BRENT HOWARD, GRANT BOWDEN, and DAVE JOHNSON, as described in the U.S.

patent application filed on May 17, 1995 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and received Serial No. 08/443,413, have been conveyed to and currently remain with IES, Inc. I acknowledge the duty to file, in the above-mentioned application or any patent issued in respect thereof, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of (1) the issue fee or (2) any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful, false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

Signed at Sandy, Utah, this 10th day of August,
1995.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lovell Brent Ivie", written over a horizontal line.

LOVELL BRENT IVIE, President
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DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY, AND PETITION

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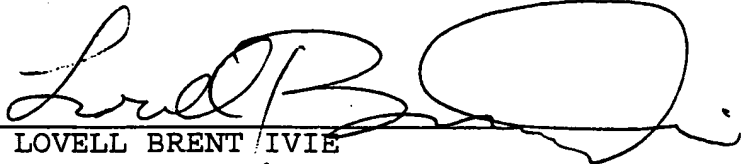
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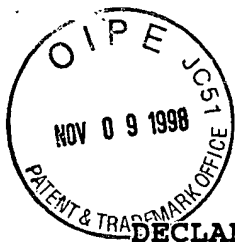
Wherefore, I pray that Letters Patent be granted for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the specification and claims, declaration, power of attorney, and this petition.

Signed at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 13th day of October, 1995.

Inventor



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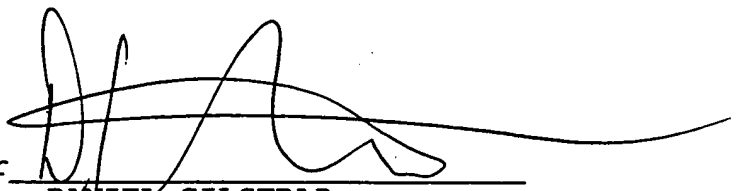
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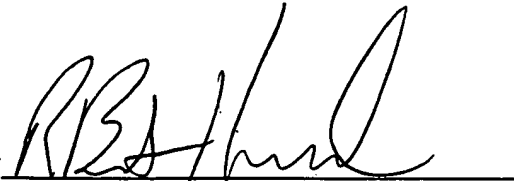
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